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Message:

Enclosed please find the Amendment and Response to the Advisory Action dated August 31, 2004 and a Request for Continued Examination.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ADVISORY ACTION

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This is in response to the *Advisory Action* dated August 31, 2004 in the above-referenced patent application. Please enter and consider the following amendments and remarks in light of the attached *Request for Continued Examination* filed under 37 CFR §1.114 in the above-identified application.